

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Octavian Schatz

Examiner: David Thomas

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For:

Methods for the Manufacture of Nucleic Acid Molecules

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response to Restriction requirement is being filed in connection with the Restriction Requirement mailed on June 25, 2007. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks. The Commissioner is kindly asked to charge our deposit account 04-2223 for any fees that may be due and owing in connection with this application.

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